



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Ryuichi KIMATA et al.**

Group Art Unit: **3617**

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Customer Service Window
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401 Dulany Street
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Date: March 16, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 16, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.